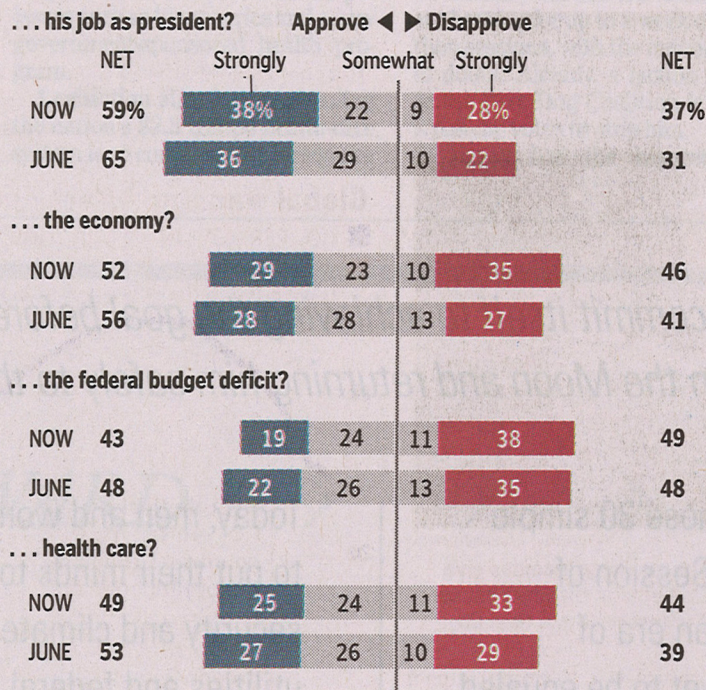
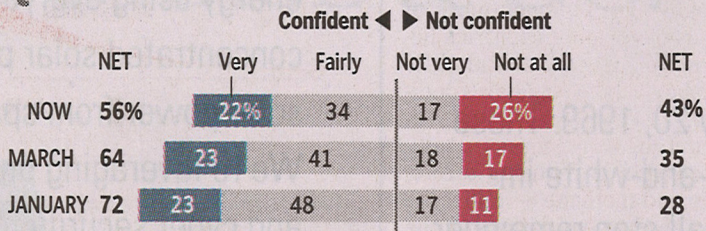


# Summer Heats Up for Obama

**Q:** Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling . . .



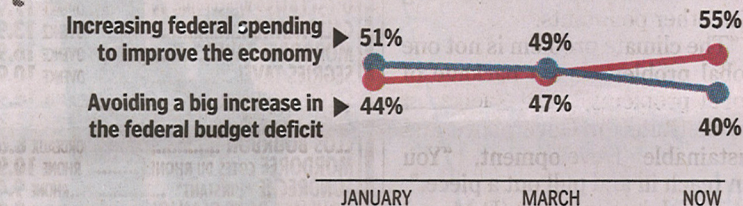
**Q:** How confident are you that Obama's economic program will improve the economy?



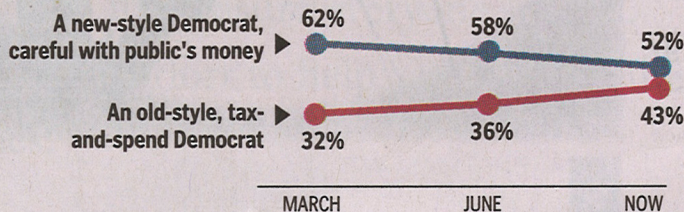
**Q:** Would you support or oppose additional federal spending above the \$787 billion already set aside to try to stimulate the economy?



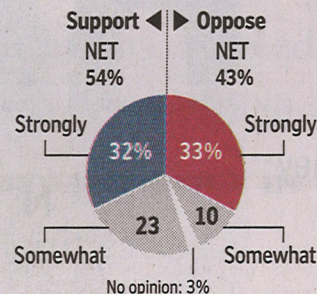
**Q:** Which of these do you think is more important right now?



**Q:** Which of these comes closer to your view: Obama is . . .



**Q:** Thinking about health care, one proposal to insure nearly everyone would require all Americans to have health insurance or pay a penalty on their income tax, excluding those with lower incomes. It would require most employers to offer health coverage or pay a fee. There would be a government-run plan to compete with private insurers. And income taxes on people earning more than \$280,000 a year would be raised to help fund the program. Taken together, would you support or oppose this plan?



NOTE: Numbers may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

This Washington Post-ABC News poll was conducted by telephone July 15-18, 2009, among a random national sample of 1,001 adults including users of both conventional and cellular phones. The results from the full survey have a margin of sampling error of plus or minus three points. Sampling, data collection and tabulation by TNS of Horsham, Pa.

Complete data from the poll can be found at [www.washingtonpost.com/polls](http://www.washingtonpost.com/polls).